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"PROTECTIVE FOOTWEAR"

(Title of the Invention)

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On behalf of CSIR, South Africa corporation having a principal place of business at Scientia, 0002 Pretoria, South Africa being the assignee and owner of all right, title and interest in the invention entitled "PROTECTIVE FOOTWEAR", for which application for Letters Patent of the United States has been made by Vernon Peregrin Joynt and Jacobus Theodorus Van Dyk, said application having been filed on November 30, 2004, receiving Serial No. 10/516,403, and further identified as Attorney File No. 2648CS-1, I hereby appoint SHERIDAN ROSS P.C., 1560 Broadway, Suite 1200, Denver, Colorado 80202-5141, telephone number (303) 863-9700, Customer No. 22442, as attorneys and agents for CSIR with full powers of substitution, association and revocation to prosecute the application and related U.S. and foreign applications and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office and all foreign and international patent offices connected therewith.

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